(c) whether possession of flats has been given by the D.D.A. to them;

(d) if not, the reasons therefor and by when the possession is likely to be given;

(e) whether the possession has been delayed due to incomplete ancillary works in flats as well as certain external works, if so, the reasons therefor and by when these incomplete works are likely to be completed: and

(f) the details of the dates of issue of possession letters to the successful allottees and the dates on which they were given physical possession?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) to (f) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of House.

Allotment of Shops in Vasant Kunj Shopping Centre

1689. SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether shops in two small Local Shopping Centres in D.D.A.'s, Self Financing Scheme, Vasant Kunj Sector 'A' have been allotted; if so, the names of the allottees and for which business they have been allotted; and

(b) what steps the Delhi Development Authority are taking to ensure that the shopping centre starts functioning at an early date so that the residents do not face hardship?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) Only one shop has been allotted for running a gas agency to Shri B. L. Kochchar, a physically handicapped person.

(b) For the remaining shops, auction programme has been fixed for first week of September, 1986 and advertisement in the Press has already been issued.

Water Supply in Vasant Kunj Sector-A

1690. SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the main water pumping station of D.D.A.'s Self Financing Scheme, Vasant Kunj, Sector 'A' has started functioning; if not, the reasons therefor;

(b) by when it is likely to start functioning;

(c) whether Government are aware that the residents of Vasant Kunj Sector 'A' who are given drinking water through 'stand by' water pump, are facing great hardship due to inadequate water supply; and

(d) if so, whether Government propose to increase the hours of water supply to alleviate the hardship faced by the residents?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) to (d) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

1691. [*Transferred to the 13th August, 1986.*]

Posts of Video Executives

1692. SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the posts of Vedio Executives do not exist in all the Doordarshan Kendras;

(b) if so, what are the reasons therefor;

(c) whether Government propose to create the posts of Vedeo-Executives in all the Kendras, if so, the details of the steps being taken in this direction; and

(d) whether it is a fact that norms for the appointment of Vedio-Executives are being laid by the UPSC and Home Ministry, if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI V. N. GADGIL): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Posts of Video Executive have been created only for those Doordarshan Kendras which have regular studios.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Recruitment rules for the posts of Video Executive are being finanlised in consultation with required agencies like Department of Personnel, Public Grievances and Penson, and Union Public Sservice Commission.

Telecasting of pogrammes from Kerala on Doordarshan

1693. SHRI THOMAS KUTHIRAVATTOM: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) the number of programmes from Kerala shown during the last three years in the National Programme of Music and dance on Doordarshan so far; and

(b) what steps Government propose to take for showing more programmes relaing to Kerala on Doordarshan?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI V. N. GADGIL): (a) The Following three programmes from Kerala were telecast by Doordarshan in the National Programme of music and dance during the last three years:

Programmes	Date of telecast
(i) Folk Art of Kerala Traditional Dances	1-5-1985
(ii) Padmashri Kalamandalam Krishnan Nair—A documentary on Kathakali Dancer Shri Krishnan Nair	9-7-1986
(iii) Flute recital by Shri Sri Krishnan	7-8-1986

(b) A number of programmes relating to Kerala have been planned to be telecast in future:

(i) "Kerala Se"—A subtitled programme in Malayalam to be shown in the series from the states.

(ii) A documentary on the Kerala State under the series States of the Union'.

(iii) Programme on Onam festival.

(iv) 'Pariwarthan'—Changing rural scene in Kerala.

(v) "The Fertilizers & Chemicals Travancore Ltd., Alwaye, Kerala".

(v) Documentary on 'Indian Rare Earths Ltd., Kerala.

(vi) Documentary on Wood Carvings of Kerala.

(viii) A feature on Kivalam-Tourist Spot in Kerala.

(ix) A programme on 'Panch Padyam' in the series 'Folklore and Traditional Arts'.

(x) A programme featuring Shri N.V. Krishna Warriar-Malayalam Poet under the series 'Kavi Aur Kavita'.

(xi) Programme on (1) Thayambaka. (2) Padayan, (3) Kalaripayattu.

(xii) Programme on Decoration from Couch Shells.

(xiii) A documentary on Kalamandalam—Kerala.

(xiv) A programme on Ms. P. T. Usha.

(xv) Classical vocal (Karnatak) by

(1) M. Harihara Subramanya Iyer

(2) S. Ratnakaran

(3) Anantalakshmi Venkataraman

(4) Kamala Kailasanathan

(xvi) Instrumental Music by

(1) Veena Vadan — R. Venkataraman